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"THE BULLETIN" (INDEPENDENT WEEKLY) OF DECEMBER 10 IN
EDITORIAL ENTITLED "PRESIDENT-ELECT CARTER AND PRESIDENTIAL
POWERS" SAID:
"CARTER, A BUSINESS MAN AND AN ADMINISTRATOR WILL DEAL
QUITE CONFIDENTLY WITH INTERNAL AFFAIRS; HE WILL FIND
HIMSELF IN MORE TROUBLED WATERS IN THE FOREIGN FIELD
AND THIS IS CRUCIAL FOR THE UNITED STATES ROLE IN WORLD
AFFAIRS AND AS LEADER OF THE FREE WORLD; NO LESS THE
COMMITMENTS WHICH IT HAS TO HONOUR PARTICULARLY IN EUROPE
AND THE FAR EAST, WHERE BURNING PROBLEMS REMAIN THAT COULD
UPSET THE BALANCE THAT THE UNITED STATES DIMINISHED
PRESENCE HAS HOWEVER MAINTAINED." RADDAY

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